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For: DEVICE FOR AUTOMATICALLY CONTROLLING A VOLTAGE APPLIED TO A DATA CONDUCTOR IN A SERIAL LINK

Please note the following:

Patent Application: 13 pages, 6 claims.

4 sheets of drawings.

The suggested drawing figure to be published is FIG. 6.

A declaration and power of attorney.

An assignment of the invention to **STMicroelectronics S.A.**

Citation Under 37 CFR 1.97 and PTO-1449.

A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

Submission of Proposed Drawing Modification.

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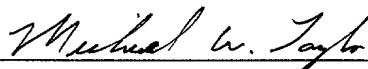
SUBMISSION OF PROPOSED MODIFICATIONS TO DRAWINGS

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is a request for proposed drawing modifications as indicated in red ink to label FIGS. 1-3 as prior art. The functional blocks in FIGS. 1 and 6 are being labeled as indicated in red ink, and FIG. 3 is being modified as indicated in red ink to correct a misspelled word. FIG. 4 is also being modified to translate reference labels as indicated in red ink.

Respectfully submitted,



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